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IRONDALE, MISSOURI  
Mrs. Crandall (Cora) Telle How She  
Stuffed Chicken Loaves  
"Last spring, I killed all my baby chicks. With  
the help of Mrs. Telle, I stuffed them. They were  
just like the ones I had seen in the store. They  
were so good, I sold them for 25c each. I was  
glad to see them so good. I was glad to see  
them so good. I was glad to see them so good."  
H. J. Blount Drug Co.

### WAITS FOR HANGING

**Sixteen Years Oklahoma Negro  
Has Been Kept in Suspense.**

Sentenced for Murder in 1905 and  
Authorities Have Not Yet Set  
the Date for Execution.

Oklahoma City.—For sixteen years  
Kidd Kelly, Oklahoma negro, hurrider  
of Jim Dillingham, has been imprisoned  
in Oklahoma, daily awaiting  
word from the legally constituted  
authorities that will set the date for  
his execution at the hands of the federal  
or state governments. And his  
suspense is not yet ended.

Since October, 1905, the negro has  
been imprisoned and for the last ten  
years has been in the custody of the  
prison authorities at McAlester, who  
have not even ordinary commitment  
papers as their authority for his im-  
prisonment. The only document pos-  
sessed by the prison, according to the  
records is an order instructing the  
sheriff of that county to convey the  
negro to the state penitentiary at Mc-  
Alester and deliver him to the warden  
for confinement awaiting the final  
action of the court.

There the authority ends.  
While Kelly putters around the  
prison enclosure awaiting the day  
when the courts shall decide the date  
of his execution, legal lights are bow-  
ing their heads before law books in  
an endeavor to discover the real status  
of the prisoner; why the sentence has  
never been carried out; why he has  
never been released, and reviewing the  
case, which in the opinion of some  
of the most talented of the legal pro-  
fession, is not only without precedent,  
but also a most vivid example of the  
fallibility of courts.

It appears that unless some person  
takes active interest in the procedure  
Kelly will be permitted to live and die  
a natural death in the state prison,  
although it is generally agreed among  
those who have been interested from  
time to time that his trial, conviction  
and sentence was a travesty upon  
court procedure.

According to those who participated  
in the original trial, although most of  
those who were directly interested are  
dead or scattered to the four corners  
of the Union, Kelly's attorney was a  
man whose legal knowledge was  
manager, having just prior to the trial  
been admitted to the practice of law,  
his previous training having been de-  
voted to the clergy.

It is stated by those whose recollec-  
tion of the case is the best that the  
United States district attorney offered  
to permit Kelly to enter a plea of  
guilty to a charge of manslaughter  
and accept a sentence of five years in  
the federal penitentiary. This offer,  
it is said, was indignantly refused by  
the attorney for the defense.

**Recovered Diamond Ring  
Lost Eighteen Years Ago**  
Eighteen years ago, Mrs. D. A.  
Yarnell, proprietress of a small  
hotel at Eldon, Mo., lost a dia-  
mond ring while feeding sheltered  
corn to some pigs.  
A few days ago, while prepar-  
ing a flower bed, she found the  
ring. It has greatly increased in  
value since it was lost. The  
ground where the ring was lost  
had been plowed many times.

**Cataract Disease Cannot Be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot  
reach the diseased portion of the eye.  
Cataract Disease requires constitu-  
tional treatment. HALL'S CATARACT  
MEDICINE is a constitutional remedy.  
Cataract Disease is caused by an in-  
flamed condition of the mucous lining of  
the Eustachian tube. When this tube is  
inflamed you have a running sound or  
superficial hearing, and when it is en-  
tirely closed deafness is the result. Unless  
the inflammation can be reduced, your  
vision may be destroyed forever.  
HALL'S CATARACT MEDICINE acts  
through the blood on the mucous sur-  
face of the Eustachian tube, thus reducing the in-  
flammation and restoring normal condi-  
tion.  
Obtain from All Druggists  
J. S. Chassey & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

**LOCAL ITEMS**  
Tell it to the editor.  
Clean up and paint up.  
Be never too cold for the joyriders.  
Mrs. C. O. Paulsell spent Saturday  
in St. Louis.  
What about a baseball club here  
this season?  
Mr. L. W. Casey is having his resi-  
dence repainted.  
John Bell was down from St. Louis  
for the week-end.  
Some exciting games of marbles are  
being played here.  
There's no one in the county jail  
now but the Sheriff.  
Eugene Coleman of Racola was on  
our streets Tuesday.  
Miss Martha Jones of St. Louis is  
visiting friends here.  
Wheat is bringing only \$1.15 in the  
local market at present.  
Mrs. J. W. Towl and son, Joe, spent  
the week-end in St. Louis.  
Home-grown garden sash will be  
late this year. Too much frost.  
And thus the mail order, parcel  
post business grows and grows.  
Our good friend John Todd was in  
Friday to renew his subscription.  
Miss Gladys Smith of De Soto vis-  
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day.  
The fishermen are going out after  
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